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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	)	
RALPH M. SIAS et al.	)	GAU: 3749
Ser. No. 09/306,519	)	Examiner:
Filed: May 6, 1999	)	G. Warder
For: MEASUREMENT AND CLEANING OF	)	
ELASTOMERIC ARTICLES HAVING	)	
PARTICULATE ADHERED THERETO	)	

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Enter the following claims to replace the previously submitted claims of the same respective number:

1. (Amended) Apparatus for processing an elastomeric article, comprising:  
an enclosure having a gas-filled interior and an access port with a non-hermetic gland seal therein sized so that a person wearing the elastomeric article may insert a hand and an arm through the gland to position the elastomeric article at an article support location;